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Applicants : Qiu et al.

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RESISTANCE IN PLANTS BY SEED
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1638NOTIFICATION REGARDING LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT
TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.28(b)U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby advise the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that as of November 4, 2002, the above-identified application was licensed to a large entity. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.28(b), it is therefore requested that the small entity status accorded to the present application be withdrawn and that this application be given large entity status. No fee deficiencies are owed.

Respectfully submitted,

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